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Thursday, June 7, 2007

Fifty-seventh Day

The House of Representatives meets at the State House in Providence, Thursday, June 7, 2007 and is called to order at 4:20 o'clock P.M., by the Honorable William J. Murphy, Speaker.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 70 members present and 5 members absent as follows:

PRESENT - 70: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

ABSENT -5: Representatives Baldelli-Hunt, DeSimone, Petrarca, Scott, Wasylyk.

INVOCATION

The Honorable Speaker presents Representative Mumford who delivers the Invocation and leads the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

(For Invocation, see Appendix, this Journal.)

APPROVAL OF RECORD

By unanimous consent, the House Journal of Wednesday, June 6, 2007 is approved as printed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Representative Costantino, for the Committee on Finance, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

House Bill No. 5062

BY Kilmartin, DeSimone, Williamson, Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS (judge dies before retirement with no surviving spouse or minor child(ren), the accumulated contribution would be credited to a judicial retirement benefits account to be distributed to a designated beneficiary or to the estate) {LC507/1}

06/07/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 5455 SUB A

BY Shanley, Lally, Lewiss, Pacheco, Scott

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND RESEARCH FOUNDATION (establish a research foundation, a nonprofit corporation, at the University of RI to administer the development of scientific research, technology, the commercialization of intellectual property) {LC1703/2/A}

06/07/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 5300 SUB A

BY Watson, Gorham, McManus, Story, Ehrhardt

ENTITLED, AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2008 {LC1305/1/A}

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Representative Gallison, for the Committee on Municipal Government, reports back the following measure, with recommendation of passage:

House Bill No. 6453

BY Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH SMITHFIELD TO BORROW UP TO \$21,000,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING THE CONSTRUCTION AND EXTENSION OF SEWERS AND SEWER LINES AND THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF PUMPING STATIONS AND RELATED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT WITHIN THE TOWN THROUGH THE ISSUANCE OF ITS GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OR NOTES INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY BONDS OR NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE ISLAND CLEAN WATER FINANCE AGENCY {LC3149/1}

06/07/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 6454

BY Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH SMITHFIELD TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF LAND AND/OR INTERESTS IN LAND FOR A NEW MUNICIPAL PUBLIC LIBRARY AND LIBRARY FACILITIES AND THE RECONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATION OF EXISTING BUILDINGS AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW BUILDINGS OR NEW ADDITIONS TO EXISTING BUILDINGS FOR, AND THE EQUIPPING OF, A NEW MUNICIPAL PUBLIC LIBRARY AND LIBRARY FACILITIES IN THE TOWN BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$12,000,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR {LC3179/1} 06/07/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 260 as amended

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND/OR NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,000,000 TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION AND INSTALLATION OF A WIND TURBINE AT PORTSMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL AND/OR A WIND TURBINE AT PORTSMOUTH MIDDLE SCHOOL {LC753/1}

06/07/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 967

BY Issa

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS {LC2915/1} 06/07/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 1002

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT PERMITTING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO CREATE A SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT AND AWARD AN EXCLUSIVE SERVICES CONTRACT FOR RESIDENTIAL SOLID WASTE/RECYCLING COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SERVICES (permit the Town Council of the Town of South Kingstown to create a Solid Waste Management District) {LC3064/1} 06/07/2007 Placed on House Calendar

COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUENT SERVICES

Representative Giannini, for the Committee on Constituent Services, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

House Resolution No. 5122

BY Ucci, Fellela, Petrarca

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO INSTALL A TRAFFIC LIGHT IN THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON {LC474/1}

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Resolution No. 5123

BY Ucci, Fellela, Petrarca

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO INSTALL A TRAFFIC LIGHT IN THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON {LC439/1}

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Resolution No. 5150

BY Fellela, Ucci, Petrarca, Schadone, Corvese

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO INSTALL A TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNAL IN THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON {LC640/1}

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 6260

BY Shanley, Lally, Walsh, Lewiss, Caprio D

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE B (name North Woods Residence B as "Wiley Hall") {LC2827/1}

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 6261

BY Shanley, Lally, Walsh, Lewiss, Caprio D

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- RENAMING THE WEST SIDE SUITES (name the West Side Suites as "Eddy Hall") {LC2826/1} 06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 6262

BY Shanley, Lally, Walsh, Lewiss, Caprio D

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE A (name North Woods Residence A as "Garrahy Hall") {LC2828/1}

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 6418

BY Lally, Caprio D, Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS (name the rotary located at the intersection of Kingstown Road and Old Point Judith Road in Narragansett after Charles "Ted" Wright) {LC3062/1} 06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 155 SUB A

BY Metts, Pichardo, Perry, Doyle, Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY RENAMING THE RHODE ISLAND JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER (rename the Juvenile Detention Center as the "Roosevelt Benton Youth Assignment Center) {LC1077/1/A} 06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 241 SUB A as amended (Environmental Management)

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION - REGULATION OF BOATS (require any person on water skis/surfboard/similar device that is being towed behind a vessel/any person operating or onboard a canoe, kayak or vessel less than 14 feet in length/required to wear a life jacket approved by the U.S. Coast Guard) {LC1113/1/A} 06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 898

BY Sheehan, Revens, Sosnowski, Paiva-Weed, Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE A (would name North Woods Residence A as "Garrahy Hall.") {LC2720/1}

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 920

BY Montalbano J, Paiva-Weed, Metts, McBurney, Revens

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE B (would name North Woods Residence B as "Wiley Hall.") {LC2721/1}

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 922

BY Sosnowski, McBurney, Lenihan, Sheehan, Algiere

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- RENAMING THE WEST SIDE SUITES (would name the West Side Suites as "Eddy Hall.") {LC2722/1} 06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Resolution No. 956 (Attorney General)

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER 26 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 2007 AS "ADVANCE CARE PLANNING AWARENESS WEEK" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC2886/1}

06/08/2007 Placed on House Calendar

NEW BUSINESS

House Bill No. 6503

BY Crowley, Shanley, Walsh, Jackson, Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- FIRE INSURANCE POLICIES AND RESERVES {LC3228/1}

06/07/2007 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

House Resolution No. 6504

BY Melo, Silva, Fellela, Pacheco, Fox

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING JUNE 10, 2007 AS "DAY OF PORTUGAL" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC3238/1}

Representative Melo requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Melo seconded by Representatives Lima, San Bento, Pacheco, Fellela, Serpa, Ajello, Carter, Silva, Corvese, Rose, O'Neill, Trillo, Rice and Schadone by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Bill No. 6505

BY Gemma, Picard, Schadone, Ucci, Fellela **ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF JENNY ENGINEERING CORP, INC. {LC3285/1}

Representative Gemma requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Gemma seconded by Representatives Carter and Williamson on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 60: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson.

NAYS - 0.

REQUEST

Representative Kennedy requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-H 6505), he would have voted in the affirmative.

House Bill No. 6506

BY Caprio D, Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- RENAMING A SECTION OF ROUTE 108 IN SOUTH KINGSTOWN {LC3305/1} 06/07/2007 Placed on House Calendar

House Resolution No. 6507

BY Church

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING JAMES DESLANDES ON ATTAINING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT {LC3302/1}

Representative Church requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Church seconded by Representatives Menard, Loughlin, Jacquard, O'Neill and many other members of the House by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6508

BY Coderre E, Lima, Picard, McManus, Menard

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING OUR SINCERE GRATITUDE AND CONGRATULATIONS TO THE VISITING NURSE SERVICE OF GREATER RHODE ISLAND {LC3297/1}

Representative Coderre requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Coderre seconded by Representatives Lima, Menard, Dennigan, Brien, Gemma and many other members of the House by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6509

BY Lally, Shanley, Caprio D

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING DR. CLAY VAN SINK ON HIS RETIREMENT {LC3188/1}

Representative Lally requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Lally seconded by Representatives Caprio, Shanley and Carter by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6510

BY Smith, Gorham, Murphy

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF JUNE AS "RHODE ISLAND INTERNET SAFETY MONTH" {LC3252/1}

Representative Smith requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Smith seconded by Representatives Moffitt and Gemma by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

RULE 17

The following bill was received pursuant to Rule 17:

Representative Crowley-An Act relating to Insurance

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Honorable Senate transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

Senate Resolution No. 1085

BY Levesque C, Paiva-Weed, Perry, Gibbs, Sheehan ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE ADOPTION OF ELECTRONIC MEDICAL RECORDS AND HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE SYSTEMS THAT IMPROVE THE QUALITY, SAFETY AND VALUE OF HEALTH CARE {LC3264/1} 06/08/2007 Referred to House H.E.W.

CALENDAR

From the Calendar are taken:

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 2007:

1 2007-H 6143 SUB A

BY Sullivan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ESTABLISHING THE SMART DEVELOPMENT FOR A CLEANER BAY ACT OF 2007

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Ginaitt moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Sullivan.

By unanimous consent, Representative Sullivan, seconded by Representatives Pacheco, Ajello, Gallison and Mumford offers a written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2007 -- H 6143 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ESTABLISHING THE SMART DEVELOPMENT FOR A CLEANER BAY ACT OF 2007

Mr. Speaker:

- I hereby move to amend 2007 -- H 6143 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ESTABLISHING THE SMART DEVELOPMENT FOR A CLEANER BAY ACT OF 2007", as follows:
- (1) On page 2, lines 17 and 18 by deleting the language and numerals "one hundred percent (100%)".

 Respectfully submitted,

REPRESENTATIVE SULLIVAN

LC02528/4

LC02326/4

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 52 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 52: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Loughlin, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Picard, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Walsh, Watson, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUEST

Representative Kilmartin requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-H 6143 SUB A as amended), he would have voted in the affirmative.

STATE OF RHODE ISLANDAND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

STATEMENT OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST PURSUANT TO RIGL 36-14-6

- I, Eileen Naughton, State Representative, District 21, hereby under oath depose and say:
- 1. (Matter requiring action) I expect to be called upon, in my capacity as State Representative, to participate in the consideration of, and to vote upon: (07-H 5716)
- 2. (Nature of the potential conflict) I have the following interest in the matter:

Own farm

- 3. (Complete and (A.) or (B.) and cross out whichever does not apply
- B. In compliance with Section 36-14-6(1) & (2)A of the General laws, I hereby request the Speaker of the House of Representatives to excuse me from voting on or participating in the consideration of the matter described in paragraph 1 above.

EILEEN NAUGHTON REPRESENTATIVE

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE

Subscribed and sworn to under the penalties for perjury before me this 7th day of June, 2007.

DAVID W. DUMAS NOTARY PUBLIC

Representative Naughton is excused from voting on or participating in the consideration of the matter described in paragraph 1, above.

WILLIAM J. MURPHY SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

2 <u>2007-H 5716</u> BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY -- FARMING

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Representative Shanley moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Walsh, Savage, Brien and many other members of the House.

By unanimous consent, Representative Shanley, seconded by Representative Gallison offers a written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2007 -- H 5716

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY -- FARMING

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2007 -- H 5716, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY -- FARMING", as follows:

On page 17, line 21, by inserting the following language after the word "passage".

"; provided that the exemption for sales and use tax for livestock of the kind the products which ordinarily constitute fibers for human use shall be retroactive to January 1, 1999".

Respectfully submitted,
 REPRESENTATIVE SHANLEY

Representative Shanley discusses the amendment.

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 57 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

Representatives Ehrhardt, Shanley and Rice discuss the act, as amended.

Read and passed, as amended, on a roll call vote, 57 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson.

NAYS - 0.

3 <u>2007-H 6131</u> BY Naughton ENTITLED. AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Fox.

By unanimous consent, Representative McNamara, seconded by Representative Fox offers a written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2007 -- H 6131

AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION

Mr. Speaker:

- I hereby move to amend 2007 -- H 6131, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION", as follows:
- (1) By deleting all of the language after the enactment clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Title 16 of the General Laws entitled "EDUCATION" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following chapter:

CHAPTER 85

RHODE ISLAND COMMUNITY SUPPORTS ACADEMY

16-85-1. Legislative findings. -- The general assembly finds and declares as follows:

There is a distinct shortage in Rhode Island of workers who are trained and certified to function in direct support of individuals with developmental and/or learning disabilities who have special needs.

The Paul V. Sherlock Center on disabilities was established in 1993 at Rhode Island College for the express purpose of supporting community membership for individuals with disabilities in school, work and society.

- 16-85-2. Feasibility study for academy. -- (a) The Rhode Island board of governors for higher education (RIBGHE), working in collaboration with the office of health and human services (OHHS) and the Rhode Island department of labor and training (RIDLT), shall conduct a study to determine the need for and assess the feasibility of establishing a Rhode Island community supports academy at the Paul V. Sherlock Center at Rhode Island College. This academy would provide education and training for individuals who are interested in functioning in direct support roles for people in Rhode Island with developmental and/or learning disabilities that have special needs.
- (b) The feasibility study will include an analysis of need and cost analysis for a 12-18 credit certification program for entry-level workers interested in working with children and adults with special needs. In developing this analysis, (RIBGHE), (OHHS) and (RIDLT) will

consider:

- (1) the proposed coursework and supervised field placement component for the certificate program;
- (2) the employment needs of hospital and community-based settings; home-based services; child and adult day care settings; school settings and other settings that may work with adults and children who have special needs.
- 16-85-3. Input of interested parties. -- (a) In conducting the feasibility study, (RIBGHE), (OHHS) and (RIDLT) will solicit input from a variety of interested parties, including, but not limited to:
 - (1) Administration and staff of the Paul V. Sherlock Center.
- (2) Administrators and faculty from Rhode Island-based institutions of higher education that currently offer coursework and degrees related to special needs adults and children.
- (3) Appropriate community organizations that support the advancement of special needs individuals.
- 16-85-4. Reporting deadline. -- (RIBGHE), (OHHS) and (RIDLT) shall submit the aforementioned study to the Rhode Island general assembly by February 1, 2008, with its findings and recommendations, including an assessment of the size of the market for the certification program, the cost and feasibility to establish the program, and, assuming the study deems it feasible, proposed actions and recommendations to establish the Rhode Island community supports academy at the Paul V. Sherlock Center at Rhode Island College. Following the receipt and review of the study, the general assembly may report out a bill to begin establishment of the academy to the regular session of the 122nd legislature.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage."

	Respectfully submitted,
_	REPRESENTATIVE MCNAMARA

LC02434/2

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 59 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 59: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Long, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Pacheco, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

Read and passed, as amended, on a roll call vote, 57 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Pacheco, Picard, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 1: Representative Mumford.

REQUEST

Representative Rice requests the journal to reflect that if she had voted on (07-H 6131 as amended), she would have voted in the affirmative.

4 <u>2007-H 6486</u> BY Gorham

ENTITLED, AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF SECTION 9 OF AN ACT PASSED AT THE JANUARY SESSION A.D. 1942 ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE WESTERN COVENTRY FIRE DISTRICT" AS AMENDED

Ordered on the Calendar

Representative Gorham moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Moffitt.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 61 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 61: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 1: Representative Kilmartin.

5 <u>2007-H 5874</u>

BY Dennigan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Pacheco, Ajello, Rose, Dennigan, Story, Savage, McManus, Sullivan, Mattiello, Lima, Rice and Slater.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

6 2007-H 6248

BY Corvese

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- BUSINESS CORPORATIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Corvese.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 57 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

7 <u>2007-H 6247</u>

BY Serpa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- RHODE ISLAND BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Serpa.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 61 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 61: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

8 <u>2007-H 6249</u> BY Mattiello

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, PARTNERSHIPS -- CONVERSIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Mattiello and many other members of the House.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 64 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 64: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

9 <u>2007-H 6241</u> BY O'Neill

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- LIMITED PARTNERSHIPS

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative O'Neill.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 64 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 64: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

10 2007-H 6246

BY Jackson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS - THE RHODE ISLAND LIMITED LIABILITY **COMPANY ACT**

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Jackson.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 62 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 62: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela. Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Silva, Singleton, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil. Walsh, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

11 2007-H 6245

BY Corvese

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND PARTNERSHIPS -- RHODE ISLAND BUSINESS CORPORATIONS ACT, AND RHODE ISLAND LIMITED LIABILITY ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Corvese.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 57 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Gorham, Handy, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

12 2007-H 6500

BY Ehrhardt

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN

Ordered on the Calendar

Representative Ehrhardt moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Lally and Carter.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 63 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 63: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all House matters on the Clerk's desk are ordered to be transmitted to the Honorable Senate, forthwith.

13 <u>2007-S 230 SUB B</u>

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- THE USE OF THE NAME OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Fox.

The bill marked Substitute "B" is read and passed and the original bill, and the bill marked Substitute "A" indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 1: Representative Ajello.

14 <u>2007-S 305</u>

BY Algiere

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- DECORATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage in concurrence.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, June 14, 2007.

15 2007-S 81 SUB A

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

Representative McNamara moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Naughton.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, in concurrence, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 55 members voting in the affirmative and 4 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 55: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Long, Loughlin, Malik, McCauley, McNamara, Melo, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 4: Representatives Amaral, McManus, Menard, Picard.

REQUEST

Representative Lima requests the journal to reflect that if she had voted on (07-S 81 SUB A, in concurrence), she would have voted in the negative.

16 <u>2007-S 267</u>

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Long, Rice and many other members of the House.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 59 members voting in the affirmative and 2 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 59: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, Melo, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 2: Representatives Menard, Picard.

17 2007-S 470 as amended

BY McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - SUPREME COURT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Representative Kilmartin.

Read and passed, as amended, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 61 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 61: Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

18 2007-S 335

BY Revens

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLES REPARATIONS ACT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Ginaitt and Ajello.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 56 members voting in the affirmative and 6 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, Melo, Menard, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 6: Representatives Gorham, Loughlin, McManus, Moffitt, Trillo, Watson.

19 2007-S 481

BY McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE - LIMITED GUARDIANSHIP AND GUARDIANSHIP OF ADULTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Pacheco, Carter, Kilmartin and Lewiss.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 53 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 53: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Corvese, Costantino, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Jackson, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

20 2007-S 519 SUB A

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - GROCERY AND LAUNDRY CARTS, MILK CASES, EGG BASKET, AND BAKERY CONTAINERS

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Palumbo.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, in concurrence, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 56 members voting in the affirmative and 4 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 4: Representatives Gorham, Loughlin, Mumford, Watson.

21 2007-S 748 BY Jabour ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FIDUCIARIES -- QUALIFIED DISPOSITIONS IN TRUST

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Lewiss.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 62 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 62: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

22 <u>2007-S 749</u>

BY Sosnowski ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Shanley.

By unanimous consent, Representative Lally, seconded by Representative Shanley offers a written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2007 -- S 749

AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Mr. Speaker:

- I hereby move to amend 2007 -- S 749, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES", as follows:
- 1. On page 3, line 31, by deleting the language "two hundred fifty dollars (\$250)", and by restoring the stricken language "one hundred dollars (\$100)".

 REPRESENTATIVE LALLY

Respectfully submitted,

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Representative Lally discusses the amendment.

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 62 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 62: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

Read and passed, as amended, on a roll call vote, 63 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 63: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

23 2007-S 776

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, June 14, 2007.

24 2007-S 799 as amended

BY Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Representatives Ajello, Carter, Lima, Corvese, Kilmartin, Gemma and many other members of the House.

Read and passed, as amended, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 50 members voting in the affirmative and 12 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 50: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Mattiello, McCauley, McNamara, Melo, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Sullivan, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 12: Representatives Amaral, Ehrhardt, Gorham, Long, Loughlin, McManus, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Savage, Trillo, Watson.

STATE OF RHODE ISLANDAND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

STATEMENT OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST PURSUANT TO RIGL 36-14-6

- I, Robert Watson, State Representative, District 30, hereby under oath depose and say:
- 1. (Matter requiring action) I expect to be called upon, in my capacity as State Representative, to participate in the consideration of, and to vote upon: (07-S 845)
- 2. (Nature of the potential conflict) I have the following interest in the matter:

Some of my practice is in this court.

- 3. (Complete and (A.) or (B.) and cross out whichever does not apply
- B. In compliance with Section 36-14-6(1) & (2)A of the General laws, I hereby request the Speaker of the House of Representatives to excuse me from voting on or participating in the consideration of the matter described in paragraph 1 above.

ROBERT WATSON REPRESENTATIVE

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE

Subscribed and sworn to under the penalties for perjury before me this 7th day of June, 2007.

DAVID W. DUMAS NOTARY PUBLIC

Representative Watson is excused from voting on or participating in the consideration of the matter described in paragraph 1, above.

WILLIAM J. MURPHY SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

25 2007-S 845

BY Maselli

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- ADJUDICATION OF TRAFFIC OFFENSES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives O'Neill, Giannini and Gemma.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

26 2007-S 971 as amended

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

Representative Lally moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Representative Kilmartin.

Representatives Trillo, Lally and Gorham discuss the act, as amended.

Read and passed, as amended, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 49 members voting in the affirmative and 12 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 49: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Malik, Mattiello, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Sullivan, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 12: Representatives Amaral, Ehrhardt, Gorham, Long, Loughlin, McManus, Mumford, Savage, Shanley, Story, Trillo, Watson.

REQUEST

Representative McCauley requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-H 971 as amended, in concurrence), he would have voted in the affirmative.

27 2007-S 254 SUB A as amended

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Representative Lewiss.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, in concurrence, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 62 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 62: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San

Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

28 <u>2007-S 828</u>

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, PARTNERSHIPS -- CONVERSIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Lewiss.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

29 2007-S 830

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- RHODE ISLAND BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence. Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Serpa.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

30 <u>2007-S 831</u>

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- LIMITED PARTNERSHIPS

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Corvese.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 55 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 55: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUEST

Representative Gemma requests the journal to reflect that his machine malfunctioned and if he had voted on voted on (07-S 831 in concurrence), he would have voted in the affirmative.

31 2007-S 835

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND PARTNERSHIPS -- RHODE ISLAND BUSINESS CORPORATIONS ACT, AND RHODE ISLAND LIMITED LIABILITY ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence. Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Corvese.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 55 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 55: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUESTS

Representatives Corvese requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (07-S 835, in concurrence), he would have voted in the affirmative.

Representative Gemma requests the journal to reflect that his machine malfunctioned and if he had voted on voted on (07-S 835 in concurrence), he would have voted in the affirmative.

32 2007-S 832

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS - THE RHODE ISLAND LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Fox.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 59 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 59: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUEST

Representative Gemma requests the journal to reflect that his machine malfunctioned and if he had voted on voted on (07-S 832 in concurrence), he would have voted in the affirmative.

33 <u>2007-S 384 SUB A</u>

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Coderre and Ajello.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, in concurrence, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUEST

Representative Gemma requests the journal to reflect that his machine malfunctioned and if he had voted on voted on (07-S 384 SUB A in concurrence), he would have voted in the affirmative.

34 <u>2007-S 829</u> BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- BUSINESS CORPORATIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Schadone.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 61 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 61: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

35 <u>2007-S 834</u>

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS - REGISTRATION AND PROTECTION OF TRADEMARKS

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Schadone and Corvese.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 63 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 63: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

36 2007-S 228

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, June 14, 2007.

37 2007-S 1034

BY Lenihan

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF THE INDIAN RIVER COMPANY

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Carter.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 63 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 63: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Crowley, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Smith, Story, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all House matters on the clerk's desk are ordered to be transmitted to the Honorable Secretary of State and the Honorable Senate forthwith.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Giannini announces that the Committee on Constituent Services will meet at 6:30 o'clock P.M. at the Cranston City Hall Chambers on the 3rd floor.

Majority Leader Fox announces the desk will be held open in order to receive the budget.

Minority Leader Watson requests to hold on the desk # 18-(07-S 335, in concurrence). There is no objection.

GUEST

The Honorable Speaker Murphy welcomes to the House Chamber as a guest Mayor David Cicilline.

BUDGET

Majority Leader Fox, Minority Leader Watson and Representative Gorham discuss budget amendments and procedure.

ADJOURNMENT

At 5:22 o'clock P.M. on motion of Representative Carter, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Talton G. Hughes; seconded by Representatives Fox and Watson the House adjourns, on a unanimous rising vote.

<u>Linda M. McElroy</u> Recording Clerk

APPENDIX

INVOCATION

REPRESENTATIVE CAROL A. MUMFORD

Almighty God, whose statutes are good and gracious and whose law is truth, grant that we may enact only such just and equitable laws as are pleasing to thee. Amen.

APPENDIX

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2007:

1 <u>2007-H 5521</u>

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS - STATE COURT ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

2 2007-H 6057 SUB A

BY Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PERSONAL INCOME TAX

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

3 2007-H 6439 SUB A

BY Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE BUDGET

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

4 2007-H 6054

BY Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- SMALL EMPLOYER HEALTH INSURANCE

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

5 2007-H 5579 SUB A

BY Segal

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- RHODE ISLAND ENERGY RESOURCES ACT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

6 <u>2007-H 6396 SUB A</u>

BY Ginaitt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - MERCURY REDUCTION AND EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

7 <u>2007-H 5132 SUB A</u>

BY Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- TOWN OF WESTERLY

Committee on Municipal Government recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

8 2007-H 5285

BY Ucci

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - ELIGIBILITY FOR ATTENDANCE

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

9 2007-H 5352

BY Williams

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

10 2007-H 6218

BY Winfield

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS, RACING AND ATHLETICS - BOXING AND WRESTLING

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

11 <u>2007-H 6440</u>

BY Winfield

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COOPERATIVE SERVICE AMONG SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

12 2007-H 6506

BY Caprio D

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- RENAMING A SECTION OF ROUTE 108 IN SOUTH KINGSTOWN

Ordered on the Calendar

13 2007-S 103

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- INSURANCE INSOLVENCY FUND

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

14 <u>2007-S 386 SUB A</u>

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - INSURANCE PRODUCERS - PRODUCER LICENSING ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

15 2007-S 87

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE INVESTMENT COMMISSION -- INVESTMENTS IN SUDAN

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

16 2007-S 161

BY Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - BENEFITS

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

17 <u>2007-S 206 SUB A</u>

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- OPEN MEETINGS

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

18 <u>2007-S 405</u> <u>S</u>UB A

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO JUDICIAL PENSIONS

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

19 <u>2007-S 438</u>

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE - EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

20 2007-S 520

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY THE TAXATION OF FARM, FOREST, AND OPEN SPACE LAND

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

21 2007-S 648 SUB A as amended

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- RHODE ISLAND COORDINATED HEALTH PLANNING ACT OF 2006

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

22 <u>2007-S 242</u>

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION -- WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends passage in concurrence.

23 2007-S 332

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends passage in concurrence.

24 <u>2007-S 397 SUB B</u>

BY Breene

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY REMEDIATION AND REUSE

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

25 2007-S 231 SUB A as amended

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- RHODE ISLAND ENERGY RESOURCES ACT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

26 2007-S 227 as amended

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS, RACING, AND ATHLETICS - BOXING AND WRESTLING

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

27 <u>2007-S 360</u>

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION AMENDING THE JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A PERMANENT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON CHILD CARE IN RHODE ISLAND

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage in concurrence.

28 <u>2007-S 394</u>

BY Issa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage in concurrence.

29 2007-S 442 SUB A

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - ELDERLY AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

30 <u>2007-S 636 SUB A as amen</u>ded

BY McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS - OPTOMETRISTS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 2007:

1 2007-H 6453

BY Church

ENTITLED. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH SMITHFIELD TO BORROW UP TO \$21,000,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING THE CONSTRUCTION AND EXTENSION OF SEWERS AND SEWER LINES AND THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF PUMPING STATIONS AND RELATED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT WITHIN THE TOWN THROUGH THE ISSUANCE OF ITS GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OR NOTES INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY BONDS OR NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE ISLAND CLEAN WATER FINANCE AGENCY

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

2 2007-H 6454

BY Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH SMITHFIELD TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF LAND AND/OR INTERESTS IN LAND FOR A NEW MUNICIPAL PUBLIC LIBRARY AND LIBRARY FACILITIES AND THE RECONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATION OF EXISTING BUILDINGS AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW BUILDINGS OR NEW ADDITIONS TO EXISTING BUILDINGS FOR, AND THE EQUIPPING OF, A NEW MUNICIPAL PUBLIC LIBRARY AND LIBRARY FACILITIES IN THE TOWN BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$12,000,000 BONDS AND/ORNOTES THEREFOR

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

3 2007-H 5062

BY Kilmartin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

4 2007-H 5455 SUB A

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

5 <u>2007-H 5122</u>

BY Ucci

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO INSTALL A TRAFFIC LIGHT IN THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

6 <u>2007-H 5123</u>

BY Ucci

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO INSTALL A TRAFFIC LIGHT IN THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

7 <u>2007-H 5150</u>

BY Fellela

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO INSTALL A TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNAL IN THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

8 2007-H 6260

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE B

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

9 <u>2007-H 6261</u>

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- RENAMING THE WEST SIDE SUITES

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

10 2007-H 6262

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE A

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

11 <u>2007-H 6</u>418

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

12 <u>2007-S 923</u>

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage in concurrence.

13 2007-S 301 SUB B

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

14 2007-S 299 SUB A

BY Bates

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - RHODE ISLAND INSURERS' INSOLVENCY FUND

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

15 2007-S 513

BY Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS

Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.

16 2007-S 495 SUB A

BY Badeau

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - BOILER INSPECTION AND PRESSURE VESSELS

Committee on Labor recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

17 2007-S 349 SUB A

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

Committee on Labor recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

18 2007-S 260 as amended

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND/OR NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,000,000 TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION AND INSTALLATION OF A WIND TURBINE AT PORTSMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL AND/OR A WIND TURBINE AT PORTSMOUTH MIDDLE SCHOOL

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

19 <u>2007-S 967</u>

BY Issa

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

20 <u>2007-S 1002</u>

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT PERMITTING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO CREATE A SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT AND AWARD AN EXCLUSIVE SERVICES CONTRACT FOR RESIDENTIAL SOLID WASTE/RECYCLING COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SERVICES

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

21 <u>2007-S 155 SUB A</u>

BY Metts

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY RENAMING THE RHODE ISLAND JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER

Committee on Constituent Services recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

22 <u>2007-S 241 SUB A as amended</u>

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION - REGULATION OF BOATS

Committee on Constituent Services recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

23 <u>2007-S 898</u>

BY Sheehan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE A

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

24 2007-S 920

BY Montalbano J

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - - RENAMING THE NORTH WOODS RESIDENCE B

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

25 2007-S 922

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- RENAMING THE WEST SIDE SUITES

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

26 2007-S 956

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER 26 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 2007 AS "ADVANCE CARE PLANNING AWARENESS WEEK" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 2007:

1 2007-S 305

BY Algiere

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- DECORATIONS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage in concurrence.

2 <u>2007-S 776</u>

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

3 <u>2007-S 228</u>

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS IN ORDER FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 2007:

1 2007-H 5300 SUB A

BY Watson, Gorham, McManus, Story, Ehrhardt ENTITLED, AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2008

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 2007:

1 <u>2007-H 5767</u>

BY Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

Francis P. McCabe
Clerk of the House

Friday, June 8, 2007